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FOOD SECRETARIAT

ORDER

Bangalore, dated 21st September 1965.

S.O. 3182.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rules (2) and (3) of Rule 125 of the Defence of India Rules, 1962, the Government of Mysore hereby makes the following Order, namely :—

1. Title, extent and commencement.—(1) This Order may be called the Mysore Guest Control Order, 1965.

(2) It extends to the whole of the State of Mysore.

(3) It shall come into force on such date as the State Government may, by notification in the Official Gazette, appoint.

2. Definitions.—In this Order, unless the context otherwise requires,—

(*a*) " caterer " means the proprietor or other person in charge of a catering establishment and includes an agent or servant who acts on behalf of such caterer ;

(*b*) " catering establishment " means a hotel, restaurant, eating house, cafe, tea shop, coffee house, free feeding centre, club, canteen or railway refreshment room and includes any other place of a like nature, open to the public, where food is prepared, supplied or consumed ;

(*c*) " host " means a person who either himself or through any other person undertakes to distribute or provide for consumption food in a party, entertainment or social or other function ;

(*d*) " institutional establishment " means a hospital, sanatorium, convalescent home, nursing home, orphanage, workhouse, infirmary, asylum or school providing food and includes any other establishment of a like nature ;

(*e*) " prohibited foodstuffs " means all foodstuffs other than beverages or liquid refreshments, nuts, fruits, potato wafers, groundnut flour and its preparations, samosas and preparations of gram and gram products ;

(*f*) " residential establishment " means a boarding house, apartment house, residential hotel, or nurses' home and includes any other establishment of a like nature but does not include a private household ;

(*g*) " substantial dish " means a dish described as such in the Schedule to this Order ;

(*h*) " subsidiary dish " means a dish described as such in the Schedule to this Order.

3. Restriction on preparation, consumption and distribution of prohibited foodstuffs.—(1) No person, or body of persons acting in concert either jointly or severally, other than a caterer at or in connection with one or more parties, entertainments or functions, shall, on any one day, either himself or themselves, prepare, serve, distribute or provide for consumption, or accept or contribute for service or distribution for consumption, any prohibited foodstuff to more than twenty-five persons (including the host or hosts) at ordinary parties or entertainments or social or other functions or to more than one hundred persons

(including the host or hosts) in connection with marriages or funerals.

(2) No caterer at the instance or for the benefit of himself or any person in connection with one or more of his own or such person's parties, entertainments or functions, shall, on any one day either himself or through any other caterer, serve, distribute or provide for consumption, or accept for service or distribution for consumption, any prohibited foodstuff to more than twenty-five persons (including the host or hosts) at ordinary parties or entertainments or social or other functions or to more than one hundred persons (including the host or hosts) in connection with marriages or funerals.

(3) No person shall accept or consume any prohibited foodstuff at or in connection with any party, entertainment, social or other function, marriage or funeral where the number of participants (including the host or hosts) exceeds twenty-five in the case of ordinary parties, entertainments or social or other functions, or where such number exceeds one hundred (including the host or hosts) in the case of marriages or funerals :

Provided that nothing in this clause shall apply to—

(i) parties, entertainments or social or other functions in the premises serving as the headquarters of diplomatic or consular representatives or Governmental Missions of Foreign countries ;

(ii) the proprietor, manager or other person in charge of a residential establishment, institutional establishment or catering establishment serving food to consumers or residents in the course of regular business and not in connection with any party, entertainment or social or other function given at the instance of himself or of any other persons ;

(iii) the distribution of food containing any prohibited foodstuff by way of " bhog " or " prasad " or as part of a recognised religious ceremony,

in any temple, mosque, gurdwara, church or other place of religious worship.

4. Restriction on number of dishes in parties.—Notwithstanding anything contained in clause 3, no person or body of persons including a caterer shall serve or distribute for consumption and no person shall accept for service or consumption in parties, entertainments, social or other functions, marriages or funerals, irrespective of whether the number of participants does not exceed twenty-five or one hundred as the case may be, any meal containing more than two courses whether served successively in European style or together in Indian style. The two courses shall consist of—

(i) One substantial dish and one subsidiary dish, or

(ii) two subsidiary dishes :

Provided that the following may be served as part of a meal in addition to the two courses, namely—

Soup, bread, biscuits, jam, marmalade, fruit including iced fruit, fruit or vegetable juice, bhajji, papad, pickles, chutney, raita, preserves, onions, celery, ghee, butter, cream, curds, cheese, butter-milk, sauce, custard, dressings and such other condiments.

5. Power to exempt.—The State Government or an Officer authorized by the State Government in this behalf may, for reasons to be recorded in writing, by order, exempt any person or body of persons from the operation of any of the provisions of this Order.

6. Powers of entry, search, seizure etc.—For the effective enforcement of the provisions of this Order, any officer authorized by the State Government in this behalf or a police officer of or above the rank of Sub-Inspector may, when he has reason to believe that a contravention of this Order has been, is being or is about to be committed, enter and search any premises or places, interrogate any

person and seize subject to the provisions of sub-rule (7) of rule 125 of the Defence of India Rules, 1962 any articles including their coverings or containers in respect of which he has reason to believe that a contravention of this order has been, is being or is about or likely to be committed.

THE SCHEDULE

1. **European or Chinese type.**—(*a*) A substantial dish shall be one consisting mainly of (1) fish, or (2) meat, or (3) poultry, or (4) game, or (5) curry and rice, or (6) pilao, or (7) hors d'oeuvre consisting of more than three items or of a combination of any of them which in the normal practice is served at the same time as part of the same dish.

Note:—In all cases salad or not more than two vegetables may be served as part of the dish.

(*b*) A subsidiary dish shall be any sweet dish or one consisting mainly of (1) vegetables, or (2) eggs, or (3) savouries, or (4) macaroni or (spaghetti), or (5) Porridge, grapenuts or any other breakfast cereal food, or (6) shell fish, or (7) hors d'oeuvre consisting of *not* more than three items.

2. **Indian Non-vegetarian type.**—(*a*) A substantial dish shall be one consisting mainly or either (1) meat, or (2) poultry , or (3) fish, or (4) biriyani, or (5) curry or dal and rice, or (6) pilao, or a combination of any of them which in the normal practice is served at the same time as part of the same dish.

Note:—In all cases salad or not more than two vegetables may be served as part of the dish.

(*b*) A subsidiary dish shall be any sweet dish or one consisting of either (1) chapaties, or (2) puris, or (3) parothas, or (4) bhakaris, or (5) eggs.

Note:—In all cases not more than two vegetables may be served as part of the dish.

3. Vegetarian type.—(*a*) A substantial dish shall be one consisting mainly of dal and rice.

(*b*) A subsidiary dish shall be any sweet dish or one consisting of either (1) chapaties, or (2) puris, or (3) parothas, or (4) bhakaris, or (5) Thalipith.

Note :—In all cases not more than two vegetables may be served as part of the dish.

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By Order and in the name of the Governor of Mysore,

N. NARASIMHA RAU, *Secretary.*

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